## AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT

Please amend the abstract as follows.

To provide a dishwasher for which the washing water distribution pipe provided with the washing nozzles and the rinsing water distribution pipe provided with the rinsing nozzles can be easily installed and removed from the washing chamber. In the dishwasher—1, a washing water distribution pipe—21 on which washing nozzles—12, 14—are installed is arranged within a washing chamber—3, and is connected removably to a first connecting pipe—31 that communicates with the outlet side of a washing pump—19. In the same way, a rinsing water distribution pipe—27 on which rinsing nozzles—13, 15—are installed is arranged within the washing chamber—3, and is connected removably to a second connecting pipe—33 that communicates with the outlet side of a rinsing pump—24. These connections are made within a washing water tank—17 in the bottom of the washing chamber—3, therefore the washing water distribution pipe—21 and the rinsing water distribution pipe—27 can be easily installed and removed from the washing chamber. Moreover, the washing water distribution pipe—27 are unitized, so handling is extremely easy.